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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the advisory action mailed on October 12, 2005. Please amend the application in the following particulars.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, (571) 273-8300, on October 24, 2005.

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